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Westona Extension Still 'Up in the Air'

The question of extending the railway line past Altona to Westona is still all up in the air.

This was made clear in a letter received by Altona Shire Council last week from the acting Minister for Transport, the Hon. V. O. Dickie, MLC.

The Minister said:

"I acknowledge your letter of June 16 concerning the question of extending the Altona line to Westona.

"While I can appreciate your council's interest in such a proposal and its willingness to contribute towards the cost of a boom barrier at the point where Grieve Highway would cross the line, I feel I should point out that the Government's policy is to eliminate level crossings on new lines.

"In any event, the construction of this extension of railway is still dependent on the availability of loan funds and the priority this work can be given along with other major works requiring attention.

"I would assure you, however, that when these priorities are being established that your council's offer will receive every consideration."

Cr. G. den Dulk told the meeting it was time the question of a rail extension was raised in State Parliament.

"I remember that last time this matter was mentioned, the Public Works Committee was astounded that the link had not been implemented," he said.

"I honestly believe it is time for Altona to bring this to the attention of Parliament."

Cr. den Dulk said he thought the Parliamentary Works Committee would still favour the proposal.

"We have tried every other method to have the line extended," he said.

Council carried a motion to inform the local member, Mr. W. L. Floyd, of the situation.

Mr. Floyd holds the position of Transport Minister in the "shadow" Labor Cabinet. Cr. den Dulk said.

MILLERS-RD. WILL BE CLOSED

Millers-rd., Altona North, will be closed to road traffic at the railway level crossing near Paisley station all day next Sunday, July 23.

The Railways Department has notified Altona Shire Council that it will be necessary to close the road between 7-30 a.m. and 5 p.m. for the purpose of re-laying and re-aligning the western railway track through the road.

Long welded rails will be used and it is not practicable to maintain the road in a manner which would enable its use during the course of the work.

Two weeks later Kororoit Creek-rd. will be closed for the same reason. Work will be undertaken on the level crossing near Mobil station on Sunday, August 6.

Council Candidate Overseas

Mr. Pat Lynch, Ratepayers Candidate for Altona Shire Council elections on August 26, has been re-called to Ireland, owing to the failing health of his mother, Mrs. J. Lynch, of County Cavan, Southern Ireland.

However, before leaving, Mr. Lynch assured his intending voters that he would return in ample time to vigorously contest the pending elections.

THREE BALLETS FOR ARTS FESTIVAL

"Pas de Quarte," "Carnival of the Animals" and "There is a Spirit" are the three ballets the Victorian Ballet Guild will perform at the Petroleum Refineries Hall on Monday, July 31, during the Altona Arts Festival week.

In the afternoon the matinee program at 3-30 will include the first two ballets.

"Pas de Quarte" was created in 1845 to display the talents of the most famous ballerinas of the day. Although only performed a few times in London the ballet has passed into legend as one of the supreme achievements of the choreographers art. Choreographer is Peter Dickinson.

Choreography for "Carnival of the Animals" is by Miss Laurel Martyn, who has used this musical burlesque to illustrate the form of the classical divertissement ballet with Corps de Ballet, character dances, solos, variations and Pas de Deux.

The classical design of the costumes is intended to call to mind the animals rather than to actually portray them.

"There is a Spirit" is a Christian study in modern ballet by Maxwell Collis. Using organ, poetry and folk songs, the Way of the Cross and the Crucifixion are depicted.

MISS ALTONA QUEST

Who will be MISS ALTONA in the quest to be run by Apex in Altona?

This may lead to Miss World, Miss Universe or Miss Teen International.

Interested girls may contact any Apex member, or Mr. I. Herbert, chemist, Pier-st., Altona.

FIRST ART SHOW SOON

The Altona Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will hold their first Art Exhibition in conjunction with the Altona Arts Festival only six months after the Chapter received its charter.

This Chapter consists of 18 ladies and carries out an extensive cultural program designed to promote fellowship through a common interest in "life, learning and friendship."

The Art Exhibition is their first major venture into the field of community service and is designed to bring art to the Altona community and provide local artists with an opportunity to exhibit. The response has been remarkable and a fitting reward for the keenness and enthusiasm of the organisers.

The exhibition will be opened at St. Mary's Hall, Sargood-st., Altona, at 3 p.m. on July 30, by Miss Angela Ridsdale, former infant head mistress at Altona Primary School.

A small but important section of the exhibition will be a display of children's work which will be judged by Miss Shirley Bourne, of the Victorian Artists Society, and Mr. Peter Murdoch.

Come as you like

Dress at the masked ball on August 5 is purely optional and is not compulsory fancy dress said Mr. L. R. James, Altona Public Library librarian and Convener of the Altona Arts Festival, early this week.

He was commenting on a report in last week's "Altona Star" which quoted Cr. A. J. Fisher as stating "fancy dress is a must."

Mr. James said: "Although all arts balls are fancy dress this one is purely optional. All that is required for admission to the arts ball is a ticket."

However, he pointed out "that much of the fun of such festival activities comes from the individual contributions, forgetting our inhibitions and donning fancy costume."

"The idea of fancy dress costumes, is that one leaves behind the worry of the old self and for an evening participates in a new carefree life. They need not be either a great deal of expense, nor necessarily very elaborate costumes, as a lounge suit with a medal or two or a fancy tie and hat can easily become a fancy dress. With women's costumes, likewise, many a garment hanging in the wardrobe, unused, can be quickly adapted with the addition of scarves, ribbons, shawls, etc."

"The main idea of this festival ball is that everybody shall have a good time whether it is in fancy dress or not, but it is our earnest wish that this evening is one of the fullest participation."

Tickets are now available at both public libraries for all the festival events.

Shire Properties

May Not Be Sewered

The Infant Welfare Centre and Kindergarten in Collins-ave., Altona North, and the Altona North Youth Hall may not be connected to the Board of Works sewerage system.

Twice the Board of Works has written to the Altona Shire Council regarding the provision of low-level sewers to the two properties on Cooper and Langshaw Reserves.

Adopting a recommendation of their Staff and Planning Committee the council has replied that it is not in a position to pay for the cost of sewerage mains to the Infant Welfare Centre and Kindergarten and the Altona North Youth Hall and that the properties are being adequately served by septic sewerage.

OFFER TO CONTROL RUBBISH TIP

An offer to operate and run the shire rubbish tip for a weekly fee of \$90 is being considered by the Altona Shire Council Staff and Planning Committee.

Shire engineer, Mr. R. C. Simons, informed the committee at their meeting earlier this month that the cost of maintaining the general tip excluding garbage tip and excluding supply of earthenware and providing access facilities is approximately \$280 per week.

A letter from a gentleman quoting the work for \$90 per week is of interest said Mr. Simons. It was agreed to invite the writer, Mr. C. Cummings, to the next meeting of the committee.

In his letter regarding the operating and running of the shire tip Mr. Cummings stated—

"As a private contractor providing my own tractor, I would be able to look after the tip at all times from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. including Saturday and Sunday. I would take great care that all the rubbish dumped be covered the same day. No fires to be lit, if any start be put out as quick as possible."

"All money collected for dumping of rubbish be handed over to the shire. For this I would like to be provided with official tickets, numbered with price regarding the amount dumped. I would do the job for \$90 a week."

"If there are any other questions or matters concerning the tip, I would like to talk it over with the shire engineer or co-operate with any other person in charge. Hoping that my offer suits the council and the job be granted, I would like to have an answer as soon as possible."

Building Must Come Down

A sub-standard structure built over a sewerage easement on a property in Cherry-ave., Altona North, must be demolished decided the Altona Shire Council.

The building also was being used for the smoking of meat, which contravenes health regulations.

If the owner fails to comply with the council's order to demolish the building appropriate action will be instituted.

LIONS CLUB OF ALTONA INSTALL LEN ROWE AS NEW PRESIDENT FOR 1967-68



Shown above (on the left) is Len Rowe, the new President of the Lions Club of Altona, taking over from last year's President, Allan McDonald (right). Len was installed as 1967-68 President by past District Governor Dr. Howard J. Waters (centre) at a combined Ladies' Night-Dinner Meeting held on Wednesday, July 12, at Koorringal Golf Club. Other office-bearers are as follows: First Vice-President, Ed Poole; Second Vice-President, Ken Bryant; Third Vice-President, Bob Crump; Secretary, Ken Wilson; Treasurer, Angus Wright; Lion Tamer, Jack Howard; Tail Twister, Syd Bell; Directors: Chris Golacki, Joe Hanykyr, Jack O'Sullivan.

EDITORIAL

WANTED: RAIL EXTENSION

We have noted the semi-government activity in Altona.

Sewerage, drainage, water service, roads and sea wall improvements are in being or are imminent.

The aggregate expenditure on current and authorised works in Altona will exceed \$4,000,000.

Against this background the reason given for the delay in the approved extension of the railway to Maidstone-st., lack of finance, seems specious.

The rail extension to Maidstone-st. would extend approximately three-quarters of a mile. In the past 10 years money has been found to provide for 28 miles of rail track in the metropolitan area.

There is no doubt of the absolute need of the projects in Altona for which the money apparently can be found. There is no need to plead the need for the railway extension which was approved by an expert committee three years ago. Now the need is greater.

Were it not for the bus service Altona would be in a sorry plight.

But the buses cannot substitute fully for trains. For local journeys maybe, but for trips which involve a combination of bus and train emphatically not.

It is evident of course that varied purse strings are providing the funds for the earlier mentioned works.

But in the final analysis the ordinary citizen pays all the bills.

The cost of the railway extension will rise year by year. It must be done. Why not do it now?

LAVERTON REPORT

By PROG.

The St. John Ambulance No. 2 Cadet Brigade held their annual inspection in the Memorial Hall last Friday night.

They were inspected by Corps Officer G. Gilmore and Divisional Officer Mrs. Freeman, who also handed out first-aid certificates to a number of cadets. This was followed by all members taking the oath of allegiance. A demonstration of their skill was given and I am certain they were a delight to watch.

In his speech, Corps Officer Gilmore welcomed a number of Laverton distinguished guests, including Cr. F. Gibson and his wife, also the parents of cadets.

"The officers who trained these cadets must be very proud, especially Superintendent R. Mathers, who has done and is still doing, an excellent job." So say we all!

During all this time a little girl (aged about four) was standing smartly to attention and followed all the proceedings with great admiration. Could be her big brother was one of the cadets.

Two Laverton residents fined \$26.50 and \$21.50 respectively for rubbish dumping.

It had to happen—people do not heed the hints that have been passed out in this column.

Willie The Wag was having breakfast when I called on him the other day (strip heater on and his feet on the toaster).

Between mouthfuls he quipped "All that is needed for the enjoyment of sausages is confidence!"

That's strange, I always use mustard.

Tuesday night is quite a busy night at the Memorial Hall.

At 7.30 p.m. the marching girls were hard at it practising for the 1967-68 season. Remember last year, the Laverton Gold Eagles went to Tasmania and walked away with colours flying? Then came back to the mainland and won the Victorian Display Championship?

In an interview with Mr. Poulton (vice-president), he mentioned that Miss Rhonda Meddings is instructing the Laverton Blue Eagles and they should be ready for competitions when the season begins.

The girls have only been in training two to three months—one hour during the week and one and a half hours on Saturdays. This is considered to be quite an achievement from what can be seen of their marching.

Mr. Meddings (the president) said more girls between the ages of eight to 12 years are needed to make up the second midget team.

Now girls, put on those shoes that were meant for marching, and drop in on Tuesday nights at 6.30 p.m. on Saturday afternoons.

Don't forget the Apex Raffle mentioned last week.

Tickets can be purchased from Barry Atkins and "Butch" Ward at the RAAF, or from Bob McIntosh, 6 Crown-st., Laverton, phone 399-1163.

More next week.

PROG.

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ALTONA HOCKEY CLUB RESULTS

B NORTH

Last Saturday Altona played Melbourne University at Royal Park.

After a terrific win against Greensborough, Altona were full of fire for another win. However, with the loss of J. Hunter, who was ill, and S. Symons, who was promoted to A Grade, Altona had a larger task than was anticipated, but Altona won all the same 2-1 and this puts them two points closer to the four.

On calculation it is seen that B North will be in the four by the last match. This means some positive thinking from the selection committee.

MU played an open game and really played all over the players who were in the Altona team. Altona plays a possessive game, keeping control of the ball with short, accurate passes. However, this game has to be played by all members if it is to succeed.

GOALS: B. Gardner and D. Stevens.

BEST: J. Lawley and D. Stevens.

C NORTH

Altona lost 4-1 to Reservoir last Saturday.

Playing the second top team and with many changes, Altona put up a very good show. The game started under picnic conditions awaiting re-inforcements of players, who arrived five minutes late and immediately made their presence felt. The club thanks these players for their efforts.

GOAL: W. Smith.
BEST: B. Smith and G. Blunt.

E NORTH

Altona played Ivanhoe at Ivanhoe. This game was a good fast one, in which Altona's defence was under constant pressure, but the outstanding play of young Brian Smith, who was well assisted by Bill Henshall and Alf Fry, kept the attackers at bay.

The Altona forwards still persist on this individual play. If they had a bit more team work they would have surely won this one.

This team's position in the four is by no means safe and Altona must play good hockey to retain a place in the finals.

GOAL: J. Golden.
BEST: B. Smith, W. Henshall, A. Fry and J. Golden.

UNDER-16

The Altona side once again gave a bad display of hockey. There was a distinct lack of system and enthusiasm amongst players and as a result Altona only just beat one of the bottom sides 2-1.

Altona's goals were not even a credit to them. They resulted from very poor co-ordination between St. Kilda's backs.

It has been said this side could take off the premiership, but without a little more determination and enthusiasm they have not got a chance.

GOALS: R. Lukoszek and B. Duncan.
BEST: A. Challis, K. Gathercole and W. Lenyszyn.

UNDER-14

After a very slow start, the A's found it hard to penetrate the St. Kilda defence, but in the final stages of the first half a well-directed pass from Garry Studley found Peter Byrne in position to net the first goal.

Early into the second half Rob Pratt netted, making the score 2-0.

With the forwards moving well the St. Kilda defence was doing an excellent job in keeping Altona down to a 3-0 win, the last goal well-earned by Irwin Kapellis.

Unfortunately these boys have been lacking support from parents, and senior members of the club. With the final game for the season to be played at Altona this Saturday, followed by the finals, these boys would really appreciate plenty of support, as this plays a large part in winning finals.

BEST: R. Heaney, P. Grant and I. Kapellis.

B GRADE LADIES

Altona travelled to Bentleigh with the thought that they may drop from the four if defeated.

The game started very slowly with neither side being able to get on top of the other. Play saw-sawed from one end to the other when captain Carol Rele received a hit on the nose with a hockey stick and had to be taken off the ground.

This did not help Altona and the girls did not seem to want to win. This was the pattern of the game to half time, when the score was nil all.

After a talking to at half-time, the girls seemed to pick up their game, but not enough to stop Bentleigh from scoring the first goal.

Altona seemed to slow down again, but from a free from Chris Harley a pass went to Carmel Molloy, then to Liz Szalkowski, who passed to Vi Smith and she made no mistake, finding the centre of the net.

Altona once again slowed down and seemed to be quite content to settle for a drawn game, the final score being one all.

If Altona want to stay in the four they will have to shake themselves up a bit and play more as a team and not as individuals.

After the game Carol Rele was X-rayed and found to have a broken nose and does not look like playing for the rest of the season.

BEST: Carmel Molloy and Vi Smith.

Last Sunday Altona were invited to Point Cook Airforce Base to play a practice match against the WRAAF Inter-service team.

A very enjoyable game was had with Altona running out victors 4-0.

A return match will be arranged in the near future. Goal scorers were Vi Smith and Kerry Smith.

C GRADE LADIES

Altona played Fairfield at Altona and started the game very slowly and although trying very hard as the match went on, were defeated 5-0.

BEST: S. Jenkins and R. Stanley.

KOORINGAL GOLF ASSOCIATES

Results of the stroke event played by Kooringal Golf Club Associates on Tuesday, July 18, are as follows—

MEDAL: Mrs. V. Jones (31), net 67.

A GRADE: Mrs. F. King (22), net 72.

36-MARKERS: Mrs. H. Harrison, net 73.

PUTTING: Mrs. P. Dixon, 28 putts.

SWIMMING POOL IN QUEEN-ST.

Altona Shire Council was non-committal last week in its reply regarding an application for the construction of a swimming pool at the rear of a property at 231 Queen-st., Altona.

The applicant, Mr. Sweeney, explained his proposal to the council's Staff and Planning Committee. He was supported by a number of credentials from neighbours and interested organisations commending him on the construction of the pool.

The committee pointed out that the land use application to the Board of Works had been for a private swimming pool for which no special permit was required in a residential area.

However, the application to the council said private swimming pool and for the private teaching to schools and others. This brings it into the category of a commercial venture.

The council has adopted the committee's recommendation that Mr. Sweeney be advised to make a further application to the Board for a land use permit, but this time giving more specific details. The council, in due course, will consider this application.

PAINTING AND REPAIRS

Small painting and repair jobs undertaken.

Phone Werribee 1119.

Church Notices



BAPTIST

Sargood Street, Altona.

Cordially welcomes you to all meetings.

Services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Communion: First Sunday morning and Third Sunday evening.

11.30 a.m.: Junior Christian Endeavour.

2.30 p.m.: Intermediate Christian Endeavour.

7 p.m.: Evening Service.

Minister—Pastor R. J. Reynolds, 62 Blyth Street, Altona.

Telephone: 65-8829.

Week Days: 7 a.m.

Saturdays: 8 a.m.

CATHOLIC

St. Mary's

Confessions.

Railway Street, Altona.

Masses.

Sundays: 7.30, 9 and 10.30 a.m.

Holy Days: 7, 8 a.m. and 6 p.m.

First Fridays: 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Saturdays: 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.

Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m.

First Friday (Maltese): 4 and 5.30 p.m.

Rev. Father J. Nooney, P.P.

Rev. Father M. Kelleher.

Father V. Rubeo.

St. Mary's Presbytery, Railway Street, Altona. Telephone 65-8964.

St. Joseph's Convent, Sargood Street, Altona. Telephone 65-8886.

Queen of Peace

Laverton.

Masses.

Sundays: 7.30, 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Holy Days: 8 a.m. and 6.15 p.m.

First Fridays: 6.15 p.m.

Week Days: Thursdays, 11 a.m. Saturdays, 8 a.m.

Confessions.

Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.

Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m.

Saturdays: 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. Leo's

Corner Mason Street and Fourth Avenue, Altona North.

Masses.

Sunday: 7.30, 9, 10, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Confessions.

Saturday: 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Rev. Father J. Kierce, PP, Rev. Father M. Sultana, St. Leo's Presbytery, 315 Mason-st., Altona North. Telephone: 391-3219.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

St. Eanswythe's

Queen Street, Altona.

VICAR—The Rev. John Lawley, The Vicarage, 7 Bent Street, Altona. Telephone: 398-1005.

Sunday Services.

8 a.m.: Holy Communion.

9.30 a.m.: Holy Communion (first, third and fifth Sundays).

Matins (second and fourth Sundays).

7 p.m.: Evensong.

Sunday School.

Sundays at 9.30 a.m.

St. Clement's

Goble Street, Laverton.

Sunday Worship: 11 a.m., Parish Eucharist.

First Sunday in the month: Family Service.

VICAR—Rev. Eric Weber, St. Thomas' Church, Werribee.

St. Luke's CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Cnr. Blackshaws and Mellers Roads, Altona North

Holy Eucharist.

Sunday, 9.30 a.m.

Tuesday, 7.30 p.m.

Wednesday, 10 a.m.

Sunday School (primary): a.m.

Junior Group (secondary): Tuesdays, 4.15 p.m.

VICAR—The Rev. D. Towns, 300 Blackshaws Road, Altona North. Telephone 391-3096.

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Sunday.

Sunday School: 9.45 a.m.

11 a.m. and 7 p.m.: Divine Worship.

Cnr. Marion Street and Sixth Avenue, Altona North.

Sunday.

11 a.m.: Divine Worship.

MINISTER—Rev. John C. Adair, 109 Queen Street, Altona. Telephone: 398-1765.

Goble Street, Laverton

(Held in Church of England Hall, Goble Street, Laverton)

3 p.m.: Divine Worship.

MINISTER—Rev. A. D. McGregor, 61 Synott Street, Werribee. Telephone: Werribee 1

PRESBYTERIAN

241 Civic Parade, Altona

Sunday Services.

9.15 a.m.: Young Church (inter family worship children to hall for their age-level group activity).

10.30 a.m.: Divine Worship.

11.30 a.m.: Senior Youth Christian Education Group.

7 p.m.: Adult Christian Education and Intercessory Prayer Group.

MINISTER—Rev. John Haynes, The Manse, 9 Lindwood Avenue, Altona. Telephone: 398-1591.

9 Paringa Road, Altona North.

11 a.m.: Worship Service.

League of Young Worshipers share in the Worship from 11 to 11.30 a.m.

MINISTER—Mr. W. A'Drain, The Manse, 11 Paringa Road, Altona North. Telephone 314-5179.

SALVATION ARMY

Queen Street, Altona.

Civic Parade, Altona.

Sunday.

8.30 a.m.: Prayer Meeting.

9.30 a.m.: Sunday School—Combined Sunday School at the Queen Street Hall (Primary and Junior).

Sunday.

11 a.m.: Holiness Meeting.

Queen Street Hall.

7 p.m.: Salvation Meeting.

Queen Street Hall.

Tuesday.

2 p.m.: Bible Study Class.

Wednesday.

3.30 p.m.: Children's Club (Civic Parade Hall).

Thursday.

2 p.m.: Women's Home League.

Captain Ada E. Warhurst, telephone 398-1750.



The Social Whirl

If you have any news of a birthday, engagement, wedding, or social event, it can be included in these pages. Phone 65-8277—there is no charge.

LAVERTON REPORT By PROG.

In a memo to parents, the head master of the Armstrong-st. School stressed the nuisance caused by dogs in the school grounds.

I understand that he will very shortly be taking action should offenders still persist in bringing dogs minus a leash to the school.

Don't be surprised to see the ranger around there one day. "Not all thy tears" will stop him from the job in hand—that of keeping stray dogs off the streets. Is it really worth the trouble and expense that you will have to go to for the return of your dog? How would your little ones feel when they see their little dog being bundled into the dog cart? Bet your boots this will happen if you don't take heed of friendly advice.

The State Schools' Relief Committee is holding a rag appeal this month.

Bags will be issued next week for your rags, if any (I'm wearing mine), and a truck will pick these up on Tuesday, July 25.

The committee does a wonderful job for the needy children so how about a big sort out now (come on dad, you too!).

We are to have a special rubbish drive by the Werribee Shire Council on August 28.

All rubbish, other than household garbage, stones and garden refuse will be accepted and householders are requested to place such rubbish on the nature strip outside their homes by 8 p.m. Monday, August 28.

In an interview with Mr. Hodges (group scout master), of 8 Badge-crt., I learnt a little of the great work being done for "Laverton Younger Set" by finding them an outlet for their initiative, a place off the streets and training for their future.

To help them in their activities they need cash, and to achieve this they organise bottle drives, etc. They have leaflets printed (this takes funds) then they have to distribute them (this takes time).

After all this they have to give up their spare time and go and collect the bottles, store them, etc., etc. I can imagine the work that goes into all this, but at the last bottle drive one of the meanest tricks of all was played on them. After paying out for leaflets, distributing them, all systems go, then at the last minute they find that some unspeakable person had raced around before them, and in some cases told wousewives that they represented the scouts.

This was, of course, not so, and the scouts missed out on this very needy source of income.

I understand that the scouts are now organising another bottle drive for about two weeks time—this time they will wear uniforms.

Please save your bottles for them.

By the way, the scouts and the guides are now under the same committee, so if you give to one only then they both benefit.

Sunday afternoon was a nice pleasant day for a jaunt around the countryside, but almost ended in tragedy for Mr. Shipsey (the treasurer for the Laverton Progress Association) and his wife and daughter Helen, of 8 Summers-st., Laverton.

Cruising down Doherty-st. rd. at about 2-30 p.m. they little realised that they were heading towards the scene of an accident—their own!

On the corner of Palmers-rd. there was a blinding flash as two cars met. The other car, driven by Mr. Robin Duffey, of Richmond, is now a write-off.

Result—The Shipsey's were "shipped" off to hospital; Mr. S. with concussion, broken ribs and lacerated scalp; Mrs. S. lacerated scalp and abrasions; Helen, a broken arm and shock.

Like I said, I thought Sunday afternoon was a pleasant day for a drive. Get well soon, Archie.

A number of residents at the "Top End" are thinking of petitioning the council to close off their road to traffic since they cannot enjoy their game of football in the street for cars going up and down.

METHODIST LADIES' GUILD

The Methodist Ladies' Guild has two forthcoming events which members feel may be of interest to other ladies.

On July 25, at 1.30 p.m., representatives from Dulux Paints are to be present and will talk on colour schemes and interior decorating, aided by the use of films. Afternoon tea will be served, and a donation of 20c is asked. This is to be forwarded as a donation to International House.

On August 8, at 1.30 p.m., Mrs. Sally Murray of Flower Beauty will be present to demonstrate Floral Art and the use of various aids, which will be available for purchase after the meeting.

The Guild would like all ladies of Altona to feel very welcome to attend either or both these meetings to be held in the Hall in Seves St.

SALVATION ARMY APPEAL

The annual Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal, previously known as the Self-Denial Appeal, is now being conducted throughout Victoria.

It commenced earlier this month and two Lassie Cadets from the Training College have been assisting the local Captain — Captain Ada Warhurst. Each have been favourably received when calling on the many friends of the Salvation Army.

Next Saturday, July 22, a street stall will be conducted in Pier Street. Altona permission has been granted by the council to hold button days on July 22 and 29. Voluntary workers will be assisting with the sale of these buttons.

Goods for the street stall can be left at the Salvation Army Hall, Queen Street, Altona, or taken direct to the stall.

The work of the Salvation Army is well-known in and around the community — its undenominational endeavours in helping all in need.

Donations to help this work should be sent direct to the Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal, c/o Captain Warhurst, 108 Queen Street, Altona. Any further information can be obtained by ringing 398 1750.

The drivers of these cars are a "mean lot" and appear to be "just driving home" or something stupid like that. "They shouldn't be allowed on the road," says one footballer. "They should be made to drive via the recreation grounds as these open spaces have no pedestrians or people in them."

How about it drivers? Give 'em a go.

Notice how cigarettes are getting long and longer?

I remember (not very long ago) when money was as scarce as hens teeth, and those "little butts" tasted as sweet as a nut.

These young blokes don't know what they've missed.

Cantankerous hey?

The Werribee Shire Council is still looking for a site for our tip or rubbish dump.

East Riding councillors have circumnavigated the area recently but so far have no set place in mind. Looks like we shall have to be content with an occasional rubbish drive for the time being.

The Mobilgas service station on the corner of Aviation-rd. will close down on July 19.

This will leave us with only one permanent service station in Laverton (not counting the Jap gas).

To those people intending to install oil heaters in their homes, just remember that you need a council permit.

A chat with the building inspector would help clarify the position before the heater is installed.

Altona West Mothers' Club

The Altona West Mothers' Club will hold a Stanhope demonstration and casserole luncheon at 16 Spear Court, on Wednesday, July 26, commencing at 10 a.m.

Admission charge of 40 cents will go to the canteen fund to help buy laminex for the new canteen due to be opened next month.

Everyone will be welcome and ladies are urged to come along and help make the day a success.

Beach Clean

Presentation Night

The Altona Life Saving Club has been allocated 30 tickets for the Presentation Night on Saturday, July 22.

Members requesting tickets should contact Miss Barbara Allen, 39 Railway St., Altona North.

Music Society

The Pop pupils of the Altona Music Society organised a dance in aid of the Royal District Nursing Society (R.D.N.S.) last Saturday night in the Youth Hall.

The pop pupils played in their own band and Sandra Pollock sang a couple of numbers. The dance was a great success, both Sandra and band received a good ovation! Sandra is also a member of the Altona Choir.

The accordion band conducted by Fred Manning is now the official band of the Altona Music Society.

The Altona Choir is doing well and will be heard in the Choral section of the Arts Festival on August 3. All singers wishing to join please ring Mr. Pearce, 398 1809 after 5 p.m. Male voices would be welcomed.

FILM NIGHT

Next Friday night, July 21, at 8 p.m. in the Civic Centre, a film will be shown by a member of the Yarraville Mouth Organ band. All members of the Altona Music Society are cordially invited to attend.

Elderly Citizens' Annual Meeting

Mr. J. Sutton was re-elected president of the Altona Elderly Citizens Social Club at the annual meeting held last Wednesday.

Also re-elected for a further term was secretary, Mrs. E. Edwards. Treasurer is Mrs. Reay and senior vice-president Mr. A. Hansen.

Mrs. Farrant and Mr. Bedson are vice-presidents, Mrs. Graham is assistant secretary and Mrs. Lowman assistant treasurer.

Committee members elected are Mesdames Butler, Rowe, Eades, Hansen, White, Johnstone, Snowling, Rogan, and Messrs. Houston and Russon.

The usual activities of the club continue — choir practice on Wednesday afternoon, and games on Tuesdays and Thursday.

Members are reminded to keep Sunday, August 13, free. The Minstrels Concert Party will visit the club on that day.

FILM EVENING

"L'il Abner" will be the main attraction at the picture night at the Altona R.S.L. Hall, Sargood Street, this Friday night, July 21.

Proceeds will go towards the end of the year "Trip Fund" for Altona High School students.

Entrance donation will be 50 cents adults and 30 cents students.

Drinks and sweets will be on sale.

Screening starts at 7.45 p.m.

Altona Ladies' Bowling Club

The Indoor Bowls Tournament held on July 11 at the Club House was a great success. 34 bowlers participated in the games including visitors from the Working Men's Club and the Elderly Citizens'.

Bowling commenced in the morning and a hot lunch was provided for the players. It was voted a most enjoyable day.

The winning rink was: — Mrs. D. Saunders (skipper) E. Hook, P. Stephens, E. Eyre. Runners-up — I. Probert (skipper), J. Milliken, E. Martin. Mrs. Q. Cox donated the trophy for the winning rink and Mrs. P. Stephens the trophy for the runners-up.

Door prizes donated by Mrs. J. Cheasley and Mrs. J. McNeillage were won by Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Andrews.

Another Tournament will be held at a later date.

A Social Afternoon will be held next Tuesday, July 25, commencing at 11.30 a.m., at the home of the President, Mrs. J. Probert, Central Avenue, Seaholme. Admittance 20c. Bring your own lunch and afternoon tea. Further entertainment commences at 1 p.m.

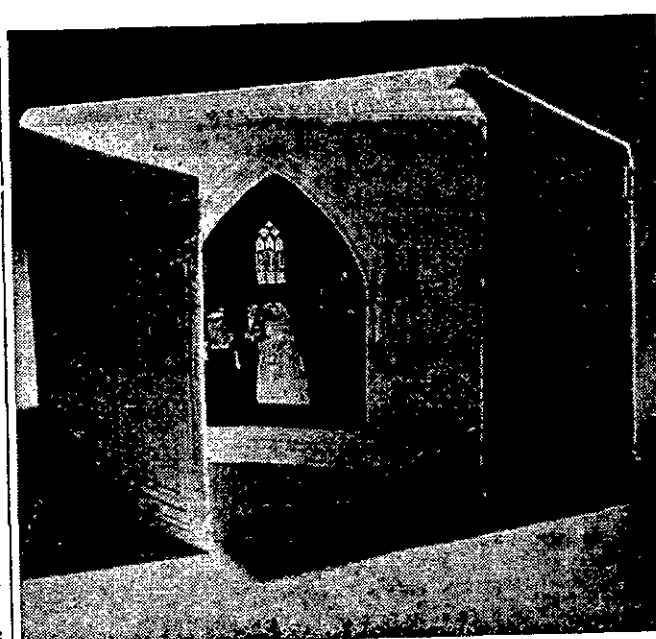
On Tuesday, 1st August, 1967, a Bus Trip, has been arranged to Healesville. Ticket \$1.25. Bring own lunch. Bus will leave the Club House at 9.30 a.m. sharp.

FASHION PARADES

Eve Gwendoline of Railway Street, Altona, will provide the gowns for the Fashion Parade to be held in the Baptist Hall, Sargood Street, Altona, at 8 p.m.

Organisers of the evening are members of the Altona Baptist Play Centre Mothers' Club. Supper is included in the entrance donation of 40 cents.

The fashion parade at Altona West Pre-School Kindergarten last Thursday was well attended and the committee wishes to thank the ladies for their support. Winner of the electric blanket was Mrs. D. King of Altona.



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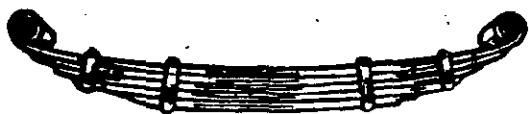


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News Around the Schools

ALTONA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Altona Primary School is again fortunate this year in having the assistance of several mothers who act as "aides," and relieve teachers of routine duties so that they may give full attention to their grades.

Mrs. Scott acts as the school's savings bank manager; Mrs. Klampf and Mrs. Layton have charge of the direct giving; Mrs. Court is an expert on the duplicator; Mrs. Carruthers helps with typing; Mrs. Nette and Mrs. McGuckian direct the drama group; Mrs. Woodcock has charge of the first-aid classes. The school is most grateful for the help freely given by these parents.

"Open Day" at the school during Education Week will be on Thursday, August 17. A program will be sent to parents. As there are three PTA afternoons and evenings held during the year, it is not expected that parents will wish to interview teachers on "Open Day."

It is regretted that many bicycles are being stolen from the school bicycle racks. It is suggested that pupils who live within a quarter of a mile of the school should walk. Those who must ride bicycles should make sure that a safety chain and lock is attached to the bike.

Contributions from the Social Service League to various charities and hospitals for the year ending June 30 totalled \$393.

ALTONA HIGH SCHOOL

Following is news from Altona High School as printed in the July issue of the "School Bell," the official organ of the Victorian Council of School Organisations.

The school has been severely hampered by a lack of qualified secondary teachers and the situation would be worse if it were not for the active campaigning of the bodies associated with the school.

Matriculation Science and the Maths classes were cut out at both Altona and Altona North High Schools in 1967, and Matric. Humanities subjects have not been available either. Students have had to travel long distances to Melbourne and University High Schools, causing considerable extra expense for their parents.

At a public meeting of all interested citizens it was suggested that parents might keep their children at home and face the truancy charges involved of subjects being taught by unqualified teachers. (Apparently a very common situation in the Western Suburbs but not so great in the Eastern Suburbs.)

Instead, it was decided to send a delegation to see the Minister of Education. They took a petition, signed by 500 ratepayers. The Minister discussed the staffing situation, which has since improved, and assured the delegation that the loss of Matric. classes in Altona was for 1967 only and the position would be reviewed in the light of the anticipated enrolment for 1968.

The school grounds had received so little attention from the Public Works Department that parent bodies had to seek the help of their local member, the Hon. A. W. Knight, M.L.C. At last the sports oval and hockey field are constructed and the engagement of a part-time gardener will help in the present project, which is of beautifying the front of the school.

It is felt that Altona High School has not raised its voice in vain. Parents have shown themselves vitally concerned, and it is certain that the school will continue to live up to its motto: "Aim High."

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SCHOOL CENTRAL LIBRARY PROPOSED

A meeting of parents held on Wednesday, July 12, agreed to the proposal to change an original plan to work for the erection of an assembly hall to one which aims at the building of a central library.

One reason for the change of plan is that the Education Department had advised that no grant would be available for the erection of an assembly hall, but it would be prepared to consider making a grant for the library on the basis of \$5 for \$4.

The school committee will now proceed to consider plans, and costs and will submit its detailed proposals to a further meeting of parents in the near future.

Plans for raising the necessary capital will also be considered.

NEW BUILDINGS

The school has been advised that a tender has been let to A. V. Jennings Industries Ltd. for the building of two new classrooms.

The school committee has been granted a subsidy towards the construction of an additional store shed which is needed for the storage of equipment.

ALTONA HIGH ADVISORY COUNCIL

In recent weeks, something like 250 trees have been planted at Altona High School. This is a tremendous start to the plans for beautifying the school grounds and providing shade areas for students.

The man responsible for this, Mr. Harold Mannix, has expended a great deal of his free time and effort to this task in selecting and obtaining suitable trees and in the tree-planting itself, not only this but Mr. Mannix has offered to tend the young plants until such time as they become established.

The Altona High School Advisory Council, at their monthly meeting, expressed their most sincere appreciation of the help Mr. Mannix has given to the school in assisting them to achieve their objective of improving the school grounds.

There is a lot more to be done and monies will be set aside for further work, particularly with regard to the front section.

Plans are going ahead for the construction of a basketball court, quotes having been obtained and subsidies applied for. Other equipment will also be purchased for use in the school, amongst these a slide copier, a heavy duty stapling machine and etching press are the main items needed.

Some discussion regarding the vacant position of head master was held, the major problem seemed to be one of travelling distances. However, this position will be re-advertised within the next two months and the council were confident that the vacancy would be filled, especially in view of the fact that Altona was now a Special Class School.

Sixty-nine pupils from Form IV will sit for Commonwealth Secondary Scholarships on July 25 and 26. Education Week commences on August 13 and will be opened at Altona by the Minister of Education. Altona High School will be amongst the schools taking part in the activities.

Choirs from the school will also be taking part in the secondary schools music festival and the Altona Arts Festival.

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2nd Altona Scouts Activities

CUBS

A football match will be played against the 5th Footscray Cubs on Saturday, August 5, commencing at 1-30 p.m. sharp at the "Pines."

Four new cubs were invested into the pack: Greg Gordon, Wayne Gordon, Adrian Deangelone and Stephen Gleeson.

First Star awards went to: Greg Muirson and Warren Ackley.

A Second Year Service Star was presented to Ian MacPherson. Kaa (Gayle MacPherson) and Barloo (Penny Boardman) were presented with their Tenderfoot Badges.

The group extends a big welcome to all their new cubs.

PARENTS

Parents, please help swell the attendance at the monthly meetings as it's only with your help that the committee can continue and the hall project may commence.

SPASTICS ASK FOR USED STAMPS

Students at the Chelsea and Peninsula District Centre of the Spastic Children's Society, as a means of earning money, are removing used stamps from mail and packaging them to sell to used stamp dealers.

They are, however, experiencing difficulty in obtaining sufficient used stamps.

It would be greatly appreciated if readers of the "Altona Star" would save stamps for the centre.

Stamps could be forwarded to the Society free on rail if parcelled and addressed in the following manner—

Spastic Children's Society,
Toorak Station.

"Dogs Had Better Watch Out"

Altona's dog population had better be careful in the future.

The shire president, Cr. S. G. McIntosh, has in mind a small surprise for them.

"With the dog problem what it is I feel I should bring to your attention a new product on the market—a tranquilizer gun," he told last week's council meeting.

"It fires a small pellet and can paralyse a dog for a couple of hours, enough time for him to be taken away."

"It's almost completely safe," he added.

"Humans are only out of action for 20 minutes if they are accidentally shot."

Rechabites Receive High Marks

Altona Junior Rechabites received 90 per cent. in the recent Model Tent Competition.

This competition is conducted annually in the metropolitan area and is judged on conduct of their meeting, the efficiency of its office-bearers.

They are to be congratulated on their work as they have only been re-opened 12 months.

Two of their officers were selected as outstanding during the competition. The officers being Cheryl Martin (deputy ruler) and Peter Dyer (money steward). Both these officers received presentations at the junior joint installation at South Melbourne on July 15.

On July 6 the following officers were elected—

CHIEF RULER, Cheryl Martin; DEPUTY RULER, Erica Vierdag; PAST CHIEF RULER, Ian Dyer; SECRETARY, Marion Vierdag; WRITING STEWARD, Sylvia Moran; MONEY STEWARD, Rita Herlaar, LEVITE, Jane Herlaar, GUARDIAN, Pauline Littlewood.

The evening closed with a pie night, which was enjoyed by all.

The Junior Rechabites meet in the Baptist Hall, Sargood-st., Altona, at 7 p.m. on the first and third Thursdays of each month. This organisation caters for boys and girls in the 7-16 years age group. For further information contact Mr. and Mrs. A. Dyer, 33 Romawi-st., Altona, telephone 398-1527.

LADIES 10-PIN BOWLING SCORES

Results of games played the Central Hotel Ladies 10-Pin Bowling League at Footscray on Tuesday, July 10, as follows—

Watts Stores 2, d. Central Hotel 1. — High Games (HG): Fr Watson (WS), 157; Ollie Williams (CH), 136.

Brobergs Chemist 2, d. Beverages 1.—HG: Ruby Gr (BC), 145; Marion Ryland (N), 135.

Delmans 3, d. Roberts Nurseries 0.—HG: Joan Thompson (RN), 150; Betty Morgan (I), 158.

M. & D. Homes 2, d. Lemonade 1.—HG: Marie Miller (LL), 165; Ann Moodie (M&D), 164.

Congratulations to a former member of Loys Lemonade team, Margaret Grubb, who gave birth to a baby boy at Altona District Hospital on Saturday, July 15.

LEAGUE LADDER

Team	Won	Lost
Roberts Nurseries	49	20
Delmans	40	29
Brobergs Chemist	39	30
Loys Lemonade	33½	35
M. & D. Homes	33½	35
7X Beverages	30	39
Watts Stores	30	39
Central Hotel	24	45

Letter to the Editor

Dear Sir,
May I, through your column, correct an erroneous impression which has arisen through statements by Cr. A. J. Fisher in your edition of July 13, commenting on the forthcoming ball to be held as part of Altona Arts Festival Week.

Cr. Fisher states: "Admission will not be granted unless people are wearing costumes." This is incorrect inasmuch as admission will be refused to anyone holding a ticket, whether in fancy dress or not.

As a member of the Arts Council Organising Committee would point out that though we will welcome everyone wearing costume for which prizes can be won no less a welcome and certainly of an enjoyable evening will be extended to anyone wishing to wear evening or informal dress.

Designed as a masked ball to culminate a week of activity the only restriction is on the number of tickets available.

J. A. MERRILLS

3rd Altona Scouts Parents Meetings

The parents of the 3rd Altona Scouts meet on the first Wednesday night of each month at 7 p.m. at the Altona East branch of the public library in The Circle.

All parents of cubs and scouts are requested to attend. This group cannot function efficiently without the support and interest of all parents.

Special effort No. 46, C/- Mr. Dusink.

THANKS FROM THE GIRLS' BRIGADE

The 16th Melbourne Company of the Girls' Brigade would like to thank all the people of Altona for helping them with donations during Brigade Week this year.

They raised a total of \$73.20, which is well above last year's total and they would like to thank all the people of Altona and the "Altona Star" for helping raise this amount.

Second Season of Melb. Youth Theatre

Melbourne Youth Theatre was formed because of the lack of opportunity offered to young people between the ages of 16 and 25 to express themselves through the various facets of theatre.

Now in its second year, it makes a significant contribution to local theatre by presenting plays that are rarely performed, if at all, in Melbourne. The fourth and final play to be presented in Melbourne Youth Theatre's second season is Beaumont and Fletcher's "The Knight of the Burning Pestle," a boisterous comedy.

The play, directed by Lois Ellis, will open at the Monash Teachers' College Theatre, in Blackburn-rd., Clayton, on Thursday, July 27, until August 5, and then transfer to the Secondary Teachers' College Theatre, in Swanston-st., Parkville, for three performances, August 10-12.

Tickets remain at 45c each and as the arena seating is limited bookings may be made by phoning Lois Ellis on 560-9022 or 83-9622 after hours.

BOB MOODY WINS SQUASH TITLE

Last Sunday evening the final of the Altona Social Squash Club tournament was held with Bob Moody taking off the trophy for a good game with the Rev. Ian Morley.

The Plate event final proved to be just as exciting with Peter Higler defeating Alan Cocks.

Next week the women's penit commences with Altona again fielding an A Grade team—No. 1, Jeanette Cheney; No. 2, Faye Jeffrey; No. 3, Margaret Clark; No. 4, Lyn Argan; No. 5, Lyn Modini.

The club has more courts now available and would like to see members interested on Sunday evenings at 7 p.m. "Don't go to fat — go to squash."

KOORINGAL GOLF SCORES

Results of the bogey played Koorlingal Golf Club on Saturday, July 15, are as follows—

A GRADE: R. Slater, square, on a countback from J. Penneath.

B GRADE: D. Trigg, plus 2.

C GRADE: J. Bennett, minus on a countback from R. Higgins.

The final of the I. Lang Winter Cup saw D. Trigg, square, minus plus 2, taking the title.

The stableford on Sunday, July 16, saw J. Esse, 35 points, win from M. West, 34 points.

ALTONA TENNIS FINALS AND TEAMS

Matches to be played on the Altona Tennis Club's finals day on Sunday, July 23, are as follows—

9 a.m.—Final A Mixed Doubles C. and P. Trickey v. G. and L. Findlay. Semi-final B Mixed Doubles: J. Trickey and M. Orchard v. D. White and J. Hill.

10 a.m.—Final B Men's Singles R. Walker v. B. Mellington.

10-30 a.m.—Final B Mixed Doubles: Winner 9 a.m. v. G. Findlay and J. Walker.

12 noon.—Final Men's A Singles: R. Graham v. J. Kelly.

Then final Ladies A Singles: J. Parkinson v. O. Kelly.

Followed by final Men's Doubles Handicap: R. Graham and C. Turner v. J. and M. Kelly.

And concluding with the presentation of trophies.

Altona Tennis Club's junior teams for Sunday, July 23, are as follows—

SECTION 2
Altona No. 1 v. Diggers, away—

W. Thomas, R. Snowling and P. Sawyer. (Emergency: P. Euntion). L. Smith, J. Walker and S. Keown. (Emergency: B. Walker.)

SECTION 3
Altona No. 1 v. Diggers, at Altona—

G. Wood, C. Sutton and B. Cranwell. (P. Euntion.) R. Webb, J. Findlay and H. Shields. (G. Bryant.)

Altona No. 2 v. Footscray, away—

P. Euntion, R. Groves and G. Crofts. (E. Pullar.) L. Hyde, D. Crofts and J. Wise. (G. Bryant.)

1st Altona Scouts Active

STREET STALL

The street stall held in Harrington Square last Saturday on behalf of 1st Altona Scouts resulted in a profit of \$42.

Many thanks to all those parents, and friends who worked so hard to provide items for the stall.

The special effort will be drawn on Monday, July 23, at the committee meeting.

GROUP COMMITTEE MEETING

The group committee meeting will be held at the Scout Hall on Monday, July 24, at 8 p.m. All parents are welcome.

PLANETARIUM VISIT

Those proceeding by train will meet at the Altona station no later than 6-45 p.m. for the visit to the Planetarium at the Melbourne Museum.

The cost will be approximately 50c and there will be no admittance after 8 p.m.

BOTTLE AND RAG DRIVE

There will be a bottle and rag drive on Saturday, July 22, commencing at 9 a.m. Dads are asked to provide trailers. The scouts and cubs will wear their scarves.

Seaholme Scrapes Home in Darts

With the worst display of sportsmanship seen this season, which was presumably under the heading of "tactics," Seaholme just managed to win the match by the odd game against Goodrich No. 1.

To start the evening Seaholme refused to abide by a rule (which is printed on the score sheet, and states that the home team shall display the names of their players, in order of play, on the board first), until they were told that if they did not abide by the rule Goodrich would claim the match.

In the first Singles Alan Easdon defeated J. Crooks in 20 darts, even though Jim Crooks scored the maximum of 180 on his third throw to the board.

Next member of Goodrich to go down was Charlie Neal against Terry Rogers. The "Rot" really set in when Tony Baker lost to Ron Bailey.

Finally Reg Kreihn broke the "ice" when he defeated Wally Ellis.

Then Ken Harris went down to Ken Kennedy to give Seaholme a 4-2 lead.

Ken Baker came to the rescue when he disposed of Dario Sanfillipo.

Arthur Ledwards added another point when he defeated Bob Turner.

Cliff Holton was pitted against Andy Butler and just missed out in making the game 4—all.

In the Doubles, Goodrich lost the first two to put Seaholme in the lead by 7-3.

However, Goodrich came back to win the final two doubles to make the score 7-5.

In the Teams' game Goodrich, scoring 3 "tons" during the match notched another point.

With only 5 more Home away matches Seaholme will have to do better than they have in the past few matches if they want to retain the second chance in the final four.

In the match between Bristol and Goodrich No. 2, Bristol completely "whitewashed" their opponents. The marathon game of the match was between Sid Naylor and Dave Stewart. Sid finally won in 83 darts!

However, this was not THE marathon game of the week. Gordon Staigh of Commercial won his game against Bob Dowie of Ashley Scratchers in 101 darts!

"TONS" SCORED

Seaholme: — K. Kennedy, 107; R. Turner, 140; A. Easdon, 100; W. Ellis, 118; D. Sanfillipo, 100; R. Bailey, 100; T. Rogers, 100.

Goodrich: — J. Crooks, 180; A. Baker, 100, 100; K. Baker, 140; K. Kreihn 100, 100; C. Holton, 100; A. Ledwards, 125.

Deer Park: — R. Fox, 100; C. Saul, 100; E. Millardship, 140; B. Gowland, 120.

Laverton: — H. Morton, 126; 100; T. Edwards, 110.

Bristol: — E. Healy, 100, 101; D. Stirk, 140, 100.

Bridge: — L. Masterton 100; R. Farnes, 120, 100; R. Marquand, 118.

Newport: — K. Marlowe, 101, 100; H. McGillavan, 100.

Yarraville: — S. Howson, 110; A. Meddings, 100; R. Thomas, 162; N. Bennett, 125.

Exchange: — B. Wilcox, 109.

Werribee: — B. Ison, 121.

Commercial: — N. Jessup, 100; A. Demuri, 100; S. Nubile, 100, 100.

RESULTS FOR 13/7/67

DIVISION I

Seaholme d Goodrich 1, 7-6.
Bristol d Goodrich II, 13-0.
Sunshine RSL d I.C.I., 9-4.
Deer Park d Laverton, 10-3.
Pioneer d Racecourse, 13-0.

DIVISION II

Commercial d Ashley Patrons, 9-4.
Werribee d Racecourse, 9-4.
Newport d Bridge, 8-5.
Yarraville II d Ashley Scratchers, 8-3.

Yarraville I d Exchange, 11-2.

MATCHES FOR JULY 20
Matches for July 20, (with likely winners in bold type, are as follows—

DIVISION I

Goodrich (1) v. Racecourse.
Pioneer Hotel v. Central Hotel.
Goodrich (2) v. Imperial Chem.
Sunshine RSL v. Bristol Hotel.
Deer Park Hotel v. Seaholme.

DIVISION 2

Ashley Pat. v. Sunshine Golf.
Altona WMC v. Werribee Hotel.
Racecourse Hotel v. Exchange.
Yarraville (2) v. Newport Hotel.
Bridge Hotel v. Ashley Scratchers.
Yarraville (1) v. Commercial.

INTER-LEAGUE MATCH

This Saturday the Western Suburbs Darts Association representative team will be travelling

to Mildura to play the Sunraysia Darts Association (formerly known as the Mildura Inter-club Sports Association). The match is the second round of the Victorian Darts Association Cup.

The selected team is:—

Bristol: B. Smelt; Goodrich: C. Holton, C. Neal and K. Harris; Newport: A. Thorogood; AWMC: C. Mannering; Seaholme: T. Rogers; Sunshine Golf Club: H. Rule and J. Taylor; Seaholme: B. Turner; Non-Play ing Captain: R. Rose.

AWMC DARTS FINAL

Last Saturday the Altona Working Men's Club conducted the final of their darts tournament, which has been going for the past eight weeks.

The winner of each week's knockout qualified for the final.

Unfortunately some of the finalists did not turn up and only five players competed in a round robin, at the end of which R. Bailey and C. Mannering each won three games.

In the play-off R. Bailey defeated C. Mannering 2-1 and was presented with a beautiful 18-piece Westminster China tea set.

SUMMER DARTS LEAGUE

Interest is already being shown for a summer competition and it is felt that if one is to be conducted then now is the time to get it organised on a proper basis.

It is intended to form an entirely separate body to conduct this competition.

The general opinion is to have six men per team and play the following games: One team, one leg; Six singles; best of three legs.

It is anticipated that the competition will commence the first week in September and finish just prior to the commencement of the winter competition in March 1968.

Interested clubs are invited to write to Box 10, P.O. Altona, 3018, or phone R. Rose on 65-8211 (8 a.m. to 4 p.m.) or 68-0214 (after 6 p.m. for further information).

MAJOR M.M.B.W.

WORKS IN ALTONA

The Board of Works program for the next six months includes three new major works in Altona.

This is revealed in "Living City, Winter 1967," published by the Board.

Works are listed under five headings—Sewerage, Main Drainage, Foreshores, Water Supply and Highways. Projects for Altona appear in the first three sections.

Section 1 of the Altona main sewer is to be constructed as a prelude to local reticulation. Tenders are expected to be called in six to eight weeks for the sewer which will run from near the corner of Maidstone-st. and Civic-pde. to the purification works.

New main drainage works to be undertaken between June and November include the levee bank and road bridge for the Truganina swamp outlet drain.

This is the wide shallow drain for Altona West and the necessary bridge in Queen-st.

Protection of metropolitan bay-side foreshores from erosion will include the raising of the sea wall from Surf-st., Seaholme, to Rose-st., in Altona.

Other water supply and sewerage reticulation works are already being carried out in Altona North.

Work on the sewerage reticulation of houses at Altona West will begin early next year. A time-table for five areas has been established. This covers properties west of Maidstone-st. and west of Grieve Highway between Wren-st. and Belmar-ave. This work is expected to be finished by October, 1968, when the purification works are scheduled to be commissioned.

ANOTHER WIN FOR LACROSSE CLUB

On Saturday Altona Lacrosse Club again won when they defeated Newport 26-8.

Although Altona came out victors, Newport proved to have much better team work. As Newport gained possession of the ball, they acted as a team and by doing so, managed to carry the ball down the field and in several instances resulted in scoring. The match was fast and hard, although it lacked team work on Altona's behalf.

Altona has made great progress this season, but there is still room for improvement.

GOALS: R. Little 6, B. McMinn 6, J. Houston 6, K. Little 3, D. McMinn 3, R. Benedierks 1 and G. Smoult 1.

BEST: R. Little, J. Houston and B. McMinn.

NEXT MATCH

Next Saturday Altona are to play the present leaders in the competition, Footscray. Footscray are as yet unbeaten, but Altona is confident and think they have a good chance against the leaders. The match will be played at Altona.

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Bellies & Battleaxes

It's a battle of the bulge at Altona High. "The Gondoliers" stars, Colin Simpson and Audrey Williams, are working hard to perfect their roles as the hen-pecked but pompous Duke of Plaza Toro and his broad and bossy Duchess.

Although ideally suited for their parts, Audrey and Colin face many problems.

As the henpecked Duke, Colin plays a role which has some resemblance to the Mikado's Poo Bah, his last year's part, who had a pompous personality and an enormous belly. BUT HOW BIG THE BULGE? This is the question which has resulted in uproar. Colin was against the huge mass of padding and pillows which made him feel so uncomfortably hot last year. But many agreed that a stomach was necessary for Colin's pompous, but loveable image. So this year Colin will strut across the stage with a slightly smaller stomach.

Colin finds difficulty in playing the part to the full extent of his ability without the aid of costumes. "You can't feel pompous in a school uniform," says Colin who comes to life on stage.

While experienced Colin is confident, newcomer Audrey, who plays the duchess, feels slightly nervous at her first attempt at a principal part.

Audrey, a tall well-built English girl, has the ideal physique for the role of the domineering duchess. However, the part is not without its difficulties. She is trying hard to adjust herself to the elegance and grace of the Duchess of Plaza Toro. To do this she must modify her

usual swinging stride to a more dainty step. I'm hopeless, moaned Audrey, whose painstaking efforts to achieve grace and dignity are sometimes punctuated by an unduchess-like leap when negotiating the steps down onto the stage. Even the addition of a lavish bathrobe, intended to stimulate a feeling of dignity, produced a portrayal of "Batman" rather than one of a duchess. However, Audrey continues to try hard and we have no doubt that at the end of four weeks she will move like a duchess as well as sing like one. Her deep, forceful contralto voice is sure to reinforce well the duchess's powerful personality.

Audrey also has problems with pronunciation, and occasionally the la-di-da duchess slips off her pedestal and the broad Liverpudlian accent peeps through.

These characters are not the only ones facing problems but they serve to illustrate the variety and number of difficulties that are to be faced when presenting a show of this nature. However, like Audrey and Colin the company faces these with optimism and we look forward with pleasurable anticipation to the nights of the 17th, 18th, 19th, 23rd and 24th of August.

Newport Baseballers Lose Again

In losing 5-2 to Collingwood last Sunday, Newport Baseball Club's A Team now have a very hard job in front of them to make the final four this year.

With six games to go, it is not impossible—but another loss will almost certainly seal any chance that is left of reaching the finals this season.

Newport went on to the ground against Collingwood last Sunday conscious of the fact that a win would put them in equal fourth position—and once again it was batting that let them down.

Both sides played well, but the big difference was Newport's inability to hit the ball with runners in scoring positions, whereas Collingwood were able to.

The withdrawal of three players at the last minute also did not help things.

This side has the ability to play in the finals, but the results are not forthcoming.

SAFE HITS: R. Simpson, K. Johns, H. Douglas and J. Armstrong.

BEST: Reg Simpson, John Armstrong and Harry Douglas.

A Team Ladder				
Team	Won	Lost	Drew	Pts.
Melb. Univ.	14	2	0	28
Ivanhoe	10	4	2	22
Collingwood	10	5	1	21
Port. Melb.	9	7	0	18
Kew	8	7	1	17
Newport	7	7	2	16
Caulfield	7	8	1	15
Oakleigh	6	8	2	14
Flemington	6	8	2	14
Fitzroy	5	9	2	12
Glenhuntingly	4	12	0	8
Alphington	2	13	1	5

Newport has to play both Port Melbourne and Kew yet, and both these sides play the two top teams in later matches, so the job is not beyond Newport of making the four.

B TEAM

There's an old saying in baseball: "We've seen better batter on fish," and this must surely apply to Newport's B Team, for although they had chances against Collingwood, they were unable to bat in runs and went down 3-0.

Through this loss the B Team will be struggling to reach the four this year as they are two games out with four to go.

SAFE HITS: G. James, G. Stonehouse, J. Merriman and K. Quinn.

BEST: Glen James, Keith Quinn and Don Cornish.

C TEAM

The slump that the C Team has been experiencing in past weeks continued on Saturday when they were defeated by the much-improved Collingwood side.

The team will have to greatly improve their concentration and desire to win, if they are to remain a contender for the flag.

The lost to Collingwood 18-8. SAFE HITS: G. Williams 3, B. Howard 2, P. Webster, G. Murdoch, N. Higham, P. Campbell and W. Thom.

BEST: George Williams, Barry Howard and Graeme Murdoch.

UNDER-17

Newport lost to West Newport 8-2. Although Newport batted better than West, they lost this game through bad fielding.

SAFE HITS: P. Trentini 2, S. Cross, R. Kelly and N. Thatcher.

BEST: Paul Trentini, Barry Esmore and Rob Kelly.

UNDER-15

Newport's batting was the highlight of their game against Fitzroy which allowed them to run out easy winners 23-3.

SAFE HITS: H. Bunting 4 (including three home runs), N. Lees 4, H. Zanner 2, G. Thompson, G. O'Sullivan and E. Fitzgerald.

BEST: Harry Bunting, Neil Lees and Heinz Zanner.

UNDER-13

The Under-13's continued on their winning run with a good 8-4 win over Essendon.

This side is playing well, and although they won't be playing in the finals, they are gaining the much-needed experience that will stand them in good stead for the years to come.

SAFE HITS: K. Lees 2, P. Dyson 2, D. Keress and L. Hazeyolt.

BEST: Jeff Esmore, Phillip Dyson and Ken Lees.

NEXT GAMES

The A TEAM has a double header this weekend when they will play Ivanhoe at Newport Sports Oval at 12-30 p.m. on Saturday, and Alphington away at 2 p.m. on Sunday.

The B TEAM play at Ivanhoe at 2 p.m. on Saturday, and the C TEAM are at Newport at 12-30 p.m.

All three junior sides will play their last matches of the season this Saturday morning at 9-45 a.m. UNDER-17 play at Sunshine; UNDER-15 meet Ivanhoe at Dugan Reserve, Newport; and UNDER-13 are at Royal Park 1 against Williamstown. Under-17 and Under-13 to meet at the Masonic Hall, Newport, at 8-30 a.m.

CHURCH APPEAL DISALLOWED

An appeal against the establishment of a Greek Orthodox Church and Sunday school at the corner of Cress and Mills Sts., Altona North, has been disallowed by the Local Government Department.

Altona Council has received notice that a permit to build will be issued.

Kinder. Teacher Resigns

The Staff Committee will consider appointing a replacement for Miss Lilleath Hocking, of the Seaholme Kindergarten.

A qualified local woman has applied for the position at the kindergarten.

Miss Hocking recently resigned the position.

Western Suburbs Table Tennis

HANDICAP TOURNAMENT

Inter-club matches will be suspended during the forthcoming week, July 24-28, when the Western Suburbs will stage a series of Handicap events as follows:—

Monday, July 24, B Grade.
Tuesday, July 25, D Grade.
Wednesday, July 26, C Grade.
Thursday, July 27, A Grade.
Friday, July 28, E Grade (Ladies).

Valuable trophies will be allocated to the winners, and will be presented at the Annual Presentation Night in December next.

Over the years these Handicap events have proved most popular, inasmuch as they give all players a chance to win fame in sport, irrespective of their ability.

ATLAS SHIELD

The Association has entered teams in the Metropolitan section of the Atlas Shield, a competition conducted by the Vic. Association among the best players of affiliated Associations. Players interested in selection for these matches, to be played on Thursday nights during August, must enrol at the Table Tennis Centre, Garden St., Williamstown, promptly.

SUMMER PENNANT, 1967-68

While most competition players are engrossed with the struggle for premiership honours in Winter, the Association is now embarking on plans for its regular Summer Pennant competition. This starts about September 29, 1967, and, allowing for a long recess over the Christmas period, progresses through into March, 1968, when the finals are played.

Early entries are required from teams to facilitate planning and grading of teams. Individual players who desire to be fitted into a team may apply to officials at the Centre.

With the Junior Coaching plan now working smoothly, it is likely that many more young players will enter competition ranks. Juniors already playing are now making their presence felt and this is a good omen for the future of the Association.

New teams and players are always welcome. Enquiries in this regard may be made at the Centre, or to Secretary Ron Arnott, 74 Poole St., Deer Park, 393 1663; Des Jones, President, 47 Paget St., Glenroy, 306 5357; John Wylie, 29 The Strand, Williamstown, 397 6863.

WINTER PENNANT

There were some close and interesting games in the various grades during round 12, completed last week.

In C1 Grieve Highway and Spotswood also battled out a thriller. John Beier, Gordon Lewis, and Eric Milner represented Grieve, and Len McWilliam, David Doyle, and Bill Hayes played for Spotswood. With Bill Hayes irrepressible, Spotswood lead early 4-2, but the Atona team steadied to level at 5-5.

Gordon Lewis just tossed Hayes to award the points to Grieve Highway at 6/5.

ALTONA DRAW IN SOCCER

Altona received another valuable point after their scoreless match with Prahran last Saturday afternoon.

Prahran fielded their best team for the visit by League leaders Altona.

In the windy conditions Prahran made it hard for the Maroons. Highlight of the game was the excellent showing of both goalkeepers.

Altona kicked off against the gale force wind and played attractive on the carpet soccer which had the Prahran side in trouble. Herman first timed a ball narrowly over the bar. Wilkie and Copley made good ground on the wings, but despite all the play they never looked like scoring. In break-away raids Grecco and Roberts had to look lively to prevent the opposition from scoring.

Bailish and Karamatos kept a steady flow of passes to the forward line, but the pitch being small, it was almost impossible to move. There appeared to be two Altona players trying to kick the ball at the one time.

Flynn let go a great shot from 25 yards, which screamed over the bar and beat the goalkeeper.

Prahran raced downfield and Roberts brilliantly saved a hot drive. It was a ding dong go for a time. Rice and Milloy played safe and at half-time there was no score for either side.

It was generally expected that with the wind advantage Altona would score several goals, but the Como Park boys had different ideas. Prahran packed their defence and with the goalkeeper in such excellent form, try as they might, Altona just could not get the ball in the net.

At the last moment somebody always managed to get in the way. A series of corner kicks to Altona put a lot of extra pressure on the Prahran defence but they were equal to the task.

When Prahran did attack they struck like a snake. Ian Roberts brought off a marvellous save and Altona supporters breathed a sigh of relief. An even bigger sigh was released as Bobby Milloy, dashing in to stop a certain score, crashed the ball on to his own crossbar and it rebounded into play. Vanderpool up front was trying all he knew to notch the winning goal.

Grecco had two great shots well stopped and Milloy was upfield having a pot shot at goal when the final whistle blew.

It was a scoreless draw, giving Altona another valuable promotion point.

NEXT GAME

Next Saturday Bayswater visit Kim Reserve and with only six more games to go the Altona team is two points clear at the top of Division 2. The Bayswater boys will be in for a gruelling game.

RESERVES

Altona's Reserve XI were defeated 4-2 by Prahran. Altona is playing younger players with the Reserves.

As the score is no longer important the opportunity is being given to younger people to learn against senior opposition. If Altona should win the Second Division and are promoted into Division 1, they will certainly need young, fit and experienced players.

Zablonski and Wynne were the goalcorers for the Reserves.

MONTHLY DANCE

Next Saturday night is the monthly dance, which will be held in the Altona Youth Hall. Tickets are available from J. Mather (65-8508) or any committee member.

JUNIOR SOCCER

UNDER 12A 8 d. Sunshine City South 0. GOALS: Little 5, Spencer 2 and Roberts. BEST: Little, Roberts and Beben.

UNDER 12B 0, lost to Sunshine City B 4. BEST: J. McCall, P. Darburn and I. Christie.

UNDER 14 1, lost to ICI 4. GOAL: J. Collins. BEST: P. Vanrangloy, D. Collins and J. Scorsey.

UNDER 16 6, d. St. Albans 2. GOALS: D. McNeil 3, R. Higham, M. Micevski and Delaman. BEST: D. McNeil, R. Higham and D. Stutter.

UNDER 10 0, lost to Sunshine Heights 6. BEST: P. Blanchard, McIntosh and Donnelly.

SCHOOL SOCCER

St. Mary's 4 d. Brooklyn 0. GOALS (St.M.): Gilpin 4. BEST (St.M.): Gilpin, Greich and Howie. (B): McNeal, Curry and Downs.

Altona 5, d. Altona East 0. GOALS (A): O'Sullivan 2, Roberts, Thompson and Donnelly. BEST (A): Roberts, Donnelly and Thompson; (A.E): Schrepper, Centurino and Herman.

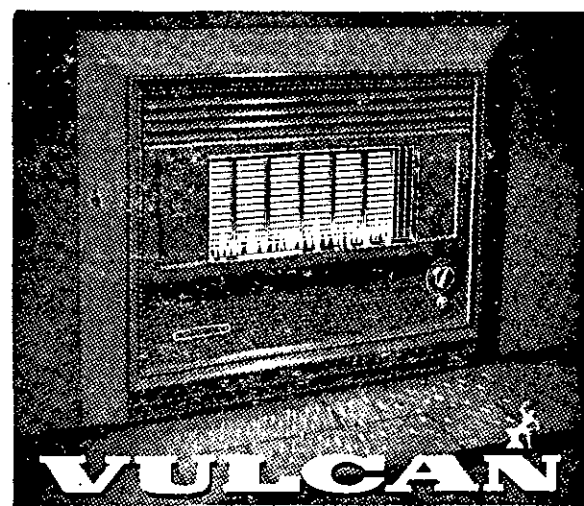
Seaholme 11, d. Brooklyn West 0. GOALS (S): N. Little 10, Cachia 1. BEST (S): N. Little, Hewitt and Clarke; (B.W): Raffel, Timsley and Laumets.

Altona West 3, d. Altona North 2. GOALS (A.W): R. Dunlop, R. Douglas and A. Mipat; (A.N): Kuglari and Black. BEST (A.W): R. Douglas, R. Dunlop and S. Walker; (A.N): Kuglari, Tistofani and Trifunovic.

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Werribee Shire Was "Inconsiderate"

Werribee Shire was most inconsiderate when it agreed to allow the State Electricity Commission a set of poles at the west end of Blackshaws-rd. on May 11, 1942.

For now, Altona Shire Council has decided that the poles should be relocated—at a cost to rate-payers of \$150 a pole.

The shire secretary, Mr. J. W. Waters, told last week's council meeting that the SEC had advised the shire the poles would have to be replaced within three to six years—at no cost to the council.

If the poles were replaced before then at council insistence, half the cost—\$300 a pole—would have to be borne by the shire.

Council carried a motion, put forward by Cr. J. J. Ginifer, that the SEC was misdirected by Werribee Shire Council in positioning the poles.

Girls Win Well In Basketball

Good basketball was played by the three Altona Methodist girls teams, giving them another three wins.

Each team combined well and the teamwork was excellent.

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Altona Methodists 35, d. Maidstone Church of Christ 13.

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Altona Methodists 41, d. Electoral-st. Methodists 15.

B GRADE
Altona Methodists 52 d. Maidstone Church of Christ 15.

NEW DRIVE-IN FOR SUNSHINE

A new drive-in theatre capable of holding 800 cars will be opening at Sunshine about mid-August.

Opening shows will include such films as "Their A Weird Mob," "It's A Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World" and "Irma La Douce" will be shown.

A unique feature will be the self-service American-style cafeteria. Patrons will move through a race selecting foods on display and pay the cashier at the end. The managing director of Village Drive-In Theatres Ltd., Mr. W. E. Spencer, brought the idea back from America.

This wholly Australian-owned circuit is the largest drive-in theatre company in Australia. Manager of the new theatre will be Mr. Alan Morris, who at present manages the Brooklyn theatres.

Sunshine Drive-in is in Somers-st. off Northumberland-rd., which, in turn, is off Ballarat-rd.

An illuminated sign will be erected beside Ballarat-rd. to direct patrons to the theatre approximately half a mile away.

Provision has been made for extensions in about two years time to cater for in excess of 1000 cars.

Shelter Damaged By Truck

A concrete bus shelter in Maidstone-st., near St. Joseph's Convent, was damaged recently when a truck ran into it. The shelter has been repaired and police are investigating.

CAMERA CLUB MEETING

Friday's meeting of the Altona Camera Club went with a real bang as members swung happily into action using their cameras to full advantage.

The reason for the interest was Miss Josephine McManus, of Altona, who had volunteered to model for the club. Members were treated to a parade of smart outfits which were very much appreciated by Miss McManus. There is every reason to believe that there will be a deluge of model prints appearing at the club soon.

A note of interest to club members: The room is now available to hold meetings every second, third and fourth or last Friday of each month. Starting from this Friday, July 21, the new syllabus will come into action.

So with that in mind, the next meeting is July 21 at the usual meeting place, "The Homestead," Queen-st., Altona. New-comers will be made welcome.

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METRO. FOOTBALL LEAGUE — SENIORS

Altona Win in Scrambly Game

A strong wind blowing across the ground made conditions awkward and players in the Thornbury v. Altona match were having difficulty in controlling the ball in the early stages of the game.

Thornbury got the first goal and Altona was quick to reply through Ron Schwabbe. Jim Rielly was making a welcome return on a centre wing and was giving drive from this position.

Mario Piovesan baulked round a pack in the goal square and cleverly snapped Altona's second major. The A's attacked again, but only points resulted. Thornbury went upfield and got their second goal. They attacked from the resultant bounce, but Barry Locke and Ian Harris combined well to keep them out.

Big John Petersen was winning knockouts in the ruck, but Altona were not moving the ball away from the packs quickly enough.

Thornbury were closing the game up and Altona were allowing them to dictate the play. There was still a lot of costly fumbling and players weren't holding the overhead marks.

The scramble quarter ended with Altona 2.4-16 to Thornbury 2.2-14.

Play resumed in a similar vein at the second term opening, with Thornbury intent on closing up play. Ian Reid was playing well on his centre wing and with Rielly hitting top gear on the opposite side, Altona were getting drive from around the pivot. Phil McLean got possession in the forward pocket and screwed through a lovely snap.

Shortly after Rielly, showing devastating speed, broke clear and booted a long torpedo for full points, and although Altona looked good as they used their speed to open up the game, Thornbury fought back and scored two quick goals.

Robin Petersen was excelling in the ruck, particularly with his strong marking and determined play around the ground. Noel Rohleder was creating opportunities with elusive position play and got the ball to Reid who goaled with a big punt.

Thornbury attacked, but once again found Harris showing good anticipation, clear well up towards the centre.

McLean, roving strongly, got the ball forward to Rohleder, who snapped across goal to where Robin Petersen flew high and dragged in a beauty. He kicked accurately for Altona's sixth.

Thornbury were quick to reply and an even first half ended with Altona 6.4-40 leading Thornbury 5.4-34, and the game was still wide open.

The third quarter opened with Altona looking more purposeful. Play see-sawed and Thornbury were still concentrating on closing up play.

Mal Tisdale took a screamer and sent the ball deep into the forward zone, where Andrew Skeuey, scouting cleverly, snapped his first and Altona's seventh. Thornbury went forward, but were finding it hard to break through the tight defence of Harris and Locke, who were both playing strongly.

Piovesan was giving the forward line bite with determined and vigorous play and his efforts were responsible for getting the ball to Schwabbe, who marked surely and kicked straight.

Thornbury retaliated and their next forward move resulted in a goal. Rielly, using his pace to advantage, carried the ball goalwards where the clever Rohleder out thought opposition to mark safely. His kick was good.

Thornbury forced play forward to score a single and when the third quarter ended Altona had a handy lead 9.7-61 to 6.5-41.

The last quarter got under way and Altona started to combine and move the ball on much faster. Thornbury were floundering and had no answer to the quicker moving Altona players. Rielly ran past Rohleder to take a neat hand pass and sent a long torpedo through the middle. Shortly after Piovesan, playing strongly at centre half-forward, booted Altona's 11th. Robin Petersen was in everything and his safe marking was a feature.

Altona attacked again and Skelley, with keen anticipation, gained possession and kicked his second. John Petersen was dominating the knockouts and provid-

ing opportunities for his rovers to carry the ball away. Altona were well on top and looked like carrying the game away, but Thornbury pulled the well tried trick of a bit of ruffing up and some of Altona's players fell for the old time gimmick. This let Thornbury in, as some Altona players lost concentration and during their lapse, the home side scored three quick goals.

Altona finally steadied, regained concentration and were back in attack when the final siren sounded with the scores Altona 12.9-81, Thornbury 9.8-62. GOALS: Schwabbe 2, Piovesan 2, Rielly 2, Skelley 2, McLean 1, Reid 1, Robin Peterson 1 and Rohleder 1.

BEST: Robin Petersen, J. Rielly, P. Reid, P. McLean, M. Piovesan and B. Locke.

NEXT GAME Altona retained their place in the four after last Saturday's win against Thornbury, but to be certain of taking place in the finals they must win the remaining home and home games.

There are five games left to play and the locals will have a big test this Saturday at Grant Reserve when they meet top side Reservoir. Last Saturday Altona's play indicated that they were coming out of a temporary slump, but every player must be fully prepared to make every endeavour to lift his ability to the very utmost if Altona are to take part in this season's finals.

Team	W	L	D	Pts.
Reservoir	11	2	0	44
East Hawthorn	9	3	1	38
Northcote Park	9	4	0	36
Altona	9	4	0	36
Fairfield	8	4	1	34
East Brunswick	8	5	0	32
Thornbury	6	7	0	24
Bellfield	2	11	0	8
Richmond Districts	1	10	0	4
Sth. Melb. Districts	1	10	0	4

INJURED PLAYERS Austin Molloy, out for the last two games with an infection of the heel, should be fit for Saturday.

Bill Thomson, influenza, should be available this week.

A.C.F. NUMBERS

415, 49, 115, 459, 493.

WEST. SUBS. FOOTBALL — UNDER-16

ALTONA DEFEATS DEVON PARK

Kicking with the aid of a very strong wind, Altona were off target early and kicked five straight points before Van Dyke, in a brilliant burst, kicked three goals followed by one to Stephenson and then another to Van Dyke, giving them a handy lead at quarter time, 5.6-36 to nil.

In the second term Devon Park kicked 3.1-19 to nil with the breeze and closed the gap by the long interval.

Starting the third quarter at a fast pace, Altona added two goals but then allowed themselves to be bottled up in the dead pocket for some time before realising they were letting the game slip from their grasp. Then in another quick burst they added two more goals to lead by 46 points at three quarter time.

Attacking strongly against the wind in the last term Altona added 1.1-7, the only scores into the wind for the game. Then for some unknown reason the local lads relaxed and let Devon Park back into the game and the visitors added four goals for the rest of the term.

But this was not enough and Altona ran out winners 10.12-72 to Devon Park 7.3-45.

GOALS: Van Dyke 5, Stephenson 2, Chatfield 1, Grant 1, E. Simmons 1.

BEST: Garde, Van Dyke, Chatfield, Flett, Cahill, Stephenson, Hardham and Chalmers.

SPECIAL EFFORT

Results of the special effort are: 1st, K. Ridge; 2nd, A. Stiles; Special, W. Groves.

NEXT GAME

Next Saturday Under-16's play Werribee at Soldiers Reserve, Werribee, and on the result of this game hinges the double chance in the finals. So anyone wishing to see a good match go along and give the local boys your vocal support.

These two sides have met twice this year for a win each, so with so much depending on the game it should be a thriller.

"ALTONA STAR" FOOTBALL AWARDS

Following are the votes for this week and progress totals in the "Altona Star" Football Awards—

SENIORS VOTES FOR THIS WEEK R. Petersen 3 votes, P. Reid 2 and J. Rielly 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL 13—N. Rohleder. 11—Mal Tisdale. 8—J. Petersen. 7—P. McLean, R. Petersen. 6—D. York, I. Harris. 5—P. Reid. 3—G. Morrish, J. Rielly. 2—M. Piovesan, W. Devereaux, W. Thompson. 1—A. Skelley, D. Boyle, J. Duncan, T. Gurrie.

RESERVES

VOTES FOR THIS WEEK K. Peachy 3 votes, R. Harrington 2 and W. Devereaux 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL 10—K. Peachy. 6—I. Haugh. 5—J. Neal. 4—Sherriff, G. Douglas. 3—L. Wenlock, Morrie Tisdale, K. Murphy, W. Thompson, R. Stephenson, K. Thompson. 2—J. MacFadyen, P. Itter, P. Egan, R. Meddings, W. Wooding, R. Buckingham, R. Harrington. 1—A. Skelley, Henstridge, T. Hogan, A. Davis, W. Devereaux.

METRO. FOOTBALL L.—RESERVES

ALTONA DOWN TO CROXTON

Altona Football Club Reserves 8.10-58, were defeated last Saturday by Croxton, 11.11-77.

GOALS: Harrington 3, Devereaux 2, Salisbury 2 and Allen 1. BEST: Peachy, Harrington, Devereaux, Douglas and Salisbury.

NEXT GAME Altona Reserves play Preston Wanderers at Oulton Park, on the corner of Bell and Albert-sts., Preston, next Saturday.

UNDER-18

VOTES FOR THIS WEEK J. Duncan 3 votes, D. Boyle 2 and G. Page 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL 18—J. Duncan. 9—P. Wenlock. 7—G. Page. 6—R. Zapart, D. Boyle, R. Paton, M. Crump. 4—S. MacFadyen. 3—Newton. 1—M. Calaz, I. Haugh.

UNDER-16

VOTES FOR THIS WEEK B. Garde 3 votes, Van Dyke 2 and S. Chatfield 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL 17—V. Pateras. 14—S. Chatfield. 10—B. Garde. 8—K. Flett. 4—I. Hardham. 2—Van Dyke. 1—P. Hartney, Walsh, Zapart, J. Walker, G. Stephenson.



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STARS SAINTS and SINNERS

By RON COLEMAN

STAR this week is Cr. Les Crofts for the keen interest he is taking in the young folk of Altona.

Cr. Crofts devoted his time last Saturday night to mingle with teenagers and young folk who attended the "Thanks A Million" dance held in aid of the Royal District Nursing Society.

The dance, which was held at the Altona Youth Hall, went quite well considering it was the first Saturday night turn seen in Altona for ages.

My only criticism is that there should have been a few nurses present; after all, people like to know what they're donating money to.

Local group The Kult showed that they have improved greatly in the last six months.

Guest group, The Devil's Disciples, wowed them all but if they'll excuse me saying so they looked more like choirboys from St. Paul's.

Incidentally, the dance was R.D.N.S. (Royal District Nursing Society), not RON'S.

SAINT

SAINT this week is Lee Shannon, who on two occasions last week acted the Good Samaritan.

On Friday night he took a sick friend to hospital and on Saturday night one of his girlfriends had suspected appendicitis, so he quickly rushed her to hospital. Well done, Lee.

GOSSIP

Latest craze in Altona is the Rock-A-Bye Blues.

Some Altona fellers clean their teeth in the most unusual places.

Nev still has 70c record specials.

Also for sale in the Gobble Shop of Altona are one duffel coat and an empty can.

I heard that at a recent party in Altona the Magnificent 7 drank about 18 gallons.

Will Batman save us all from instant destruction? Read on next week.

Television program most watched by the boys at present is the "Mickey Mouse Club"—brings back memories.

Giant combs are all the rage. New group in America called "Pearls Before Swine."

Peter Lewis, the son of film star actress Loretta Young, is a the scene in America—"Moby Grape."

The "Grape" have released a wild record called "Hey Grandma."

Another great Yankee group to watch for is Jefferson's Airplane, while the hottest group playing at New York's discotheque "The Scene," are a bunch of blokes who go by the name of The Doors.

Bee Gees to do a film soon. The Hippie Festival staged at Monterey, California, USA, recently will go down in history as the greatest gathering of Muses ever.

During acts Jimi Hendrix set light to his guitar and threw the

remnants to the crowd. British group The Who smashed all their instruments after their performance and throughout the festival there was a continuous avalanche of oranges.

Seen amongst the crowd were three Beatles, a Rolling Stone, Mamas and Papas, Eric Burdon, Moby Grape, Paul Butterfield, a Monkee and Ravi Shankar to mention a few.

Normie for Viet Nam? Solos for John Walker and Roy Orbison. Tom Jones has cancelled U.S. tour.

Another record to watch is "Come on Down to my Boat" by a group called Every Mother's Son.

One of the Vibrants injured at Hobart recently.

3UZ DJ, Stan Roef, recently came to blows when an opposition DJ tried to get in before him with an interview on Normie, who had just arrived back in Australia.

By the looks of things Britain is gradually losing the pop scene back to America, who is storming the world with its Hippies and Psychedelia. At one time all the groups and recordings came from America, but when the Beatles came on the scene they stole the show for Britain.

Now America has re-emerged with such groups as the Monkees, Lovin' Spoonful, Mamas and Papas, Jefferson Airplane, Moby Grape, Jimi Hendrix Experience, Young Rascals, the Supremes, Herb Alpert and the Turtles, plus Paul Butterfield Blues Band.

Elvis a daddy? Twiggy to come here soon?

The Fifth Dimension, who sing "Up, Up and Away," comprise two coloured girls and three boys. This number has also been recorded by Australian vocalist Frank Field.

Australian-born Michael Pate will return from Hollywood to produce a film in Australia.

You've probably seen Pato hundreds of times as an Indian in some western.

Screenplay of the film was written by him and shots will be filmed on location at the Great Barrier Reef.

NEW NAME FOR THE KULT

Group names are becoming more way out all the time. For instance in America there are groups called the Grateful Dead, Electric Prunes and Pearls Before Swine.

But dig this—the Kult have changed their name to Brown Eyed Handsome Jam, so I'm told.

REBEL!

A circular that's going around town at the moment reads:—ARE YOU—

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I can't imagine too many Altona hippies taking up the challenge and hitch-hiking out to Elwood to be told that their dress is too unconventional.

RODEO NEWS

A World Rodeo Series which began in Queensland last week will end 24 contests and five States later at Myrtleford, Victoria, on Boxing Day.

International flavour is provided by two cowboys from America and two from Canada as well as riders from New Zealand and Tasmania.

Unfortunately the first rodeo of the series clashed with the famous Calgary Stampede in Canada and the \$100,000 prize money must have prevented many more North Americans coming here.

First North American rider to arrive in Australia was Darwin Lund, a steer wrestler from Alberta.

Recently the Australian Bull-dogging record was broken by Barry Gravener, of Korumburra, who wrestled his beast to the ground in 3.4 seconds—not bad going.

Previous record of 4.2 seconds was held by Jim McGuire, of Taroom, Queensland.

Altona rider Stan Peel is nearing the \$400 mark in prize money, while "Bonga" Hobbs is well past this stage.

Received word that there will be a buck-out behind the Guiding Star Hotel in a fortnight's time.

NEW DISCS

The Fifth Dimension's recording of "Up, Up and Away" is beautifully produced.

P. J. Proby tries again with "You Can't Come Home Again." Dave Clarke Five going downhill with "You Must Have Been a Beautiful Baby."

Mike Furber and Marty Kristian both have new releases, but neither of them are too hot.

Cilla Black sings "What Good am I?" while Johnny Rivers' newie is "The Tracks of my Tears."

And one to watch is "Windy" by the Association.

A correspondent from Britain reports that the following records should do well in the near future—

"Light my Fire"—The Doors, "See Emily Play"—Pink Floyd, "Shadows and Reflection"—The Action, "Tremblin"—Swingin' Blue Jeans, "Mum and Dad"—Pinkerton Colours, and "Claire" by Paul and Barry Ryan.

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COMPETITION RESULT

Winner of the recent competition to decide whether Us Wot Motivate should change their name was Anne Rafferty, sister of lead singer Noel Rafferty. Anne may choose a free record from Nev's Variety Bar.

THIS WEEK

This week I want to know who the winners of Hoadley's National Final Battle of the Sounds were. Address all entries to "SSS Competition," C/- "Altona Star," 101 Pier-st., Altona, 3018.

ENTERTAINMENT

Drive-In

Showing at the Village Brooklyn Drive-In for one week from Thursday, July 20, will be—

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Senta Berger, Tony Randall.

TOP TEN

- 1.—A Lighter Shade of Pale—Procolharum.
- 2.—This is my Song—Petula Clark.
- 3.—Respect—Aretha Franklin.
- 4.—San Francisco—Scott McKenzie.
- 5.—Groovin'—Young Rascals.
- 6.—Woman, You're Breaking Me—The Groop.
- 7.—Puppet on a String—Sandy Shaw.
- 8.—Minnie the Moocher—The Cherokees.
- 9.—Ding Dong the Witch is Dead—The Fifth Estate.
- 10.—Waterloo Sunset—The Kinks.



So far the weather situation has prevented the Brooklyn Speedway from re-opening, but the "Star" will be on hand to release news of the speedway's winter season as soon as information comes through. This is the type of scene you can expect to see at Brooklyn when the speedway re-opens.

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Once again the ever-changing Open Age four altered last week when West Newport moved back in at the expense of Laverton in the Western Suburban Football League.

Central Altona went to clear lead on top after their good win against RAAF, and Maidstone's loss to Newport. Altona still remain unchallenged in Under-18 and West Newport are clear leaders in the Under-16 division.

MATCH RESULTS**OPEN AGE**

Newport 11.6-72 d. Maidstone 8.14-62. Central Altona 20.9-129 d. RAAF 7.6-48. West Newport 30.22-202 d. South Kingsville 3.6-24. Laverton had the bye. MAIDSTONE, who have never beaten NEWPORT, lined up confidently last Saturday intent on breaking the "hoodoo," but failed again. Shooting for goal had a lot to do with their loss and as bad kicking is bad football, the better team won.

This now puts CENTRAL ALTONA one game ahead on top and with their good win over RAAF gives them a healthy percentage as well.

WEST NEWPORT also percentage conscious, scored well enough over SOUTH KINGSVILLE to displace LAVERTON, who had the bye, from the four.

UNDER-18

Central Altona 6.10-46 d. Laverton 4.6-30. Altona 15.24-114 d. West Newport 0.2-2. Werribee received a walkover from Newport. The miserable conditions prevented good play in both matches and best on the ground must go to the boundary umpires who handled the ball as much as the players.

UNDER-16

Altona 10.12-72 d. Devon Park 7.3-45. West Newport 20.27-147 d. Newport 1.5-11. Werribee had the bye.

A scramble game was played in the wide open spaces at ALTONA, where the strength and experience of the locals proved too much for the young DEVON PARK side, who are developing into a fair combination.

NEWPORT had no counter for the unbeaten WEST NEWPORT.

LADDERS**OPEN AGE**

Team	%	Pts.
Central Altona	192.6	44
Maidstone	173.1	40
Newport	134.9	40
West Newport	167.7	32
Laverton	147.6	32
RAAF	71.2	16
South Kingsville	14.1	4

UNDER-18

Team	%	Pts.
Altona	701.8	44
Werribee	194.8	34
West Newport	81.8	26
Central Altona	77.2	20
Laverton	30.0	4
Newport	27.2	4

UNDER-16

Team	%	Pts.
West Newport	402.4	52
Werribee	227.1	40
Altona	137.4	36
Newport	21.0	16
Devon Park	25.4	12

NEXT GAMES

Next weekend's games, with the likely winners in bold type, are as follows—

UNDER-16 (10 a.m. Saturday)
Werribee v. Altona. Newport v. Devon Park. West Newport have the bye.

OPEN AGE (2-30 p.m. Saturday)
RAAF v. Newport. Maidstone v. Laverton. West Newport v. Central Altona. South Kingsville have the bye.

UNDER-18 (2-30 p.m. Sunday)
West Newport v. Central Altona. Werribee v. Altona. Laverton v. Newport.

**WESTERN SUBURBS
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Holy Trinity 12.11-76 d. Altona Presbyterians 6.6-42.

GOALS (Altona): T. Hyde 3, P. Churchill 1, K. Moylan 1 and K. Churchill 1.

BEST (Altona): K. Moylan, J. Hancock, K. Churchill, C. Jones and C. Bruce.

Altona Methodists 15.20-110 d. West Newport Methodists 0.1-1.

GOALS (Altona): N. Courtot 5, W. Patton 4, L. Newton 2, W. Gates 1, and K. Haining 1.

BEST (Altona): K. Derne, N. Courtot, W. Patton, R. Morgan, G. Morgan and L. Newton; (West Newport): G. Speirs, P. Watson, R. Carrington, R. Clarke and G. Duncan.

Williamstown Methodists 9.10-64 d. Yarraville Combine 5.3-33.

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Team	W	L	%	Pts.
Altona Meths.	11	1	556.8	44
Holy Trinity	9	3	142.9	36
W'town Meths.	7	5	100.5	28
Y'ville Combine	6	6	73.6	24
Altona Pres.	2	10	53.0	8
West Newport	2	10	23.0	8

THIS SATURDAY'S GAMES

Holy Trinity v. Yarraville (at Strand Reserve. West Newport v. Williamstown (J. T. Gray Reserve). Altona Pres. v. Altona Meths. (Ford Reserve).

**COUNCIL OPPOSES
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"The sign could definitely be a safety hazard," Cr. A. J. Fisher told last week's council meeting.

"The council is against the sign being erected on this land," he said.

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BIRTHS

THOMPSON (Wolter).—To Barbara and Gordon, a son (Paul Laurence), born at Altona District Hospital on July 17, both well. Special thanks to Dr. J. Leyden and staff of hospital.—GRUBB (Barton).—On July 15 at Altona and District Hospital, to Margaret and Don, a son (Donald James). Baby brother for Leannee and Warren. Many thanks to Sisters Pettiford and Tilt.

ENGAGEMENTS

SCULLEY-BAKER. — Mr. and Mrs. R. Sculley, of 140 Maidstone-st., Altona West, have much pleasure in announcing the engagement of their youngest daughter, Yvonne, to Raymond, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Baker, of 11 Parra-matta-st., Williamstown.

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JACKMAN.—In silent thoughts of one so dear, but precious memories keep you near. Sadly missed by us all.
THOMSON, Ted.—Edward Grey. In loving memory of my husband and my dad, who passed on to his eternal rest July 22, 1966. His wife Isabelle, daughter Lucienne.
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(a) Confirmation of previous minutes;
(b) A report on the work of the committee for the previous year, together with a statement of the income and expenditure of the Auxiliary;
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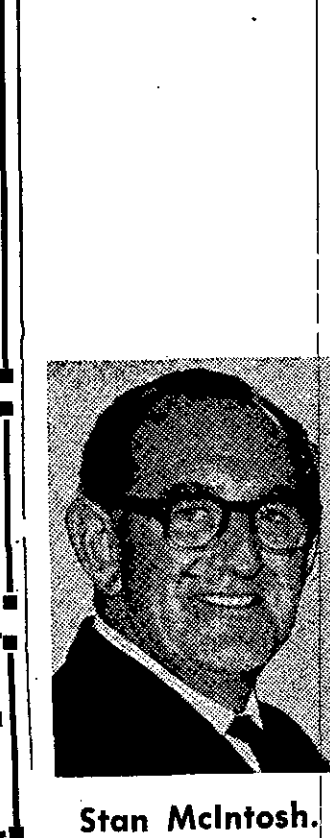
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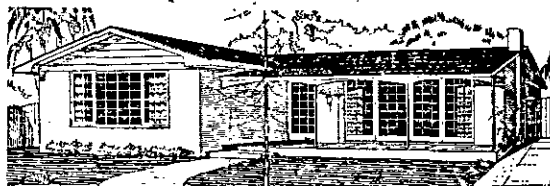
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SATURDAY, JULY 22:

73 Reed-st., Albert Park. 10-30 a.m.
86 Princes-ave., Springvale. 11 a.m.
39 Regent-st., Elsternwick. 12 noon.

SATURDAY, JULY 29:

8 Reserve-st., North Carlton. 10 a.m.
424 Williamstown-rd., Port Melbourne. 10-30 a.m.
11 Munster-ave., Carnegie. 11 a.m.
9 Empress-rd., East St. Kilda. 12 noon.
23 Tennyson-st., Sandringham. 11-30 a.m.
317 Nepean Highway, Brighton. 2-30 p.m.
Flats 1 and 2, 35 Kooyong-rd., North Caulfield. 3-30 p.m.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5:

2 Glover-st., South Melbourne. 10-30 a.m.
145 Tinning-st., Brunswick. 11 a.m.
73 Hamdens-rd., Beaumaris. 11-30 a.m.
113 Albert-st., Windsor. 12 noon.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12:

15 Steel-st., Kingsville. 10 a.m.
43 Tribe-st., South Melbourne. 11-15 a.m.
89 Benwerri Drive, East Burwood. 12 noon.



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